

AT THE OLD STAND, 82 LAUREL STREET

that city a week ago to-day. He accuses the losers in such games for bad over it, and the St. Cloud paper howl about, and yet servant girls be ruined by professed christians sent out of the city, a few dollars paid to smooth over the affair, and these same papers are as silent as a grave about it. Why? Because the friends of the destroyer pay money to hush the matter up. If a great push is to be kicked up because a professional gambler is beaten at his game, who don't the St. Cloud paper expose those who commit worse greater crimes? We are getting the facts in the above alluded to case, and as soon as they are all in our possession, we will lay them before our readers. - Sauk Rapids Sentinel.

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1828 Andrew Jackson. John Q. Adams.

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1844 James K. Polk. Henry Clay.

1848 James K. Polk. Zachary Taylor.

1852 Franklin Pierce. Winfield Scott.

1856 James Buchanan. John Fremont.

1860 Abraham Lincoln. A. B. Douglass.

1864 Abraham Lincoln. George B. Sherman.

1872 U. S. Grant. Horace Greeley.

1876 U. S. Grant. Rutherford B. Hayes.

1880 James A. Garfield. Wm. H. Harrison.

that amount. The following parties were burned out: J. Wiswell, dwelling; Greaves & Weeks, hardware; Oscar Weickes meat market; Mrs. L. Kramer, linery; P. Palmatere, barber shop; J. H. Montgomery, machinery; George L. Bannbach, store building; Thos. Alexander, real estate office; W. Bannbach, bank; Meyer & Co. general merchandise; M. H. Dibley, saloon; W. R. Bannbach, store building; L. E. Bannbach, store building. At this time it is impossible to procure anything like a correct estimate of the loss and insurance. The firms burned out have moved to vacant buildings, barns, etc., and it is assumed that the city authorities will replace those burned, and in that direction having already commenced.

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Our Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT,
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FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
LEVI P. MORTON.

POLK's directory claims 38,700 people for Duluth.

ST. CLOUD has just purchased a dumping ground for its garbage at a cost of \$650.

The Republican legislative convention for the 46th district will meet at Verdale Sept. 19th.

The Democratic legislative convention for the 46th district will meet at Duluth on Tuesday next to put in nomination a candidate.

"When President Cleveland, Great Britain knows exactly where she is," remarks the Glasgow Herald. Yes, that's a fact, but with President Harrison she will be in full knowledge of the whereabouts of free trade.

The New York World betrays the unpopularity which is prevalent with Democratic leaders when it says: "If the Democratic campaign shall number much longer it may be found that the party will be hard to arouse in November."

The conceded fact that wool and woolen goods are cheaper now under protection than formerly under a low tariff, removes the only good reason there could ever have been for putting wool on the free list. We can and will adjust ourselves to home competition, but we cannot face competition with foreign countries without an absolute certainty of ruin to the whole industry.

NEARLY a month has elapsed since Judge Sleeper rendered his decision in the indemnity land cases, and yet notwithstanding the importance of the questions involved, to say nothing of the great howl that has gone up from the judge's "non-partisan friends," no move has been made nor a single step taken to appeal the case to the supreme court. If the decision is so palpably wrong and unjust, why don't some of these precious fellows take it to a higher tribunal and let the world know that they are right, and Judge Sleeper wrong. No, no, gentlemen, if Judge Sleeper were not a candidate for re-election, you would not dare to ever question the rightness of his decision. It is an attempt to turn it to your pet's advantage, but it will never win. The people admire a fearless man, and no amount of badinage will convince any right-minded person that Geo. W. Holland is the man for the office of Judge.

Not in Crow Wing County.

Can Wilson expect to get anywhere near the vote cast for Ames two years ago?—St. Cloud Tribune.

Those people who imagine that Ames had no following had better wait until the votes are counted in November and then compare the result with the count of two years ago. The Democrats made a mistake in not putting Ames up again.

The Worst Blow.

The worst blow struck at the prohibition party in many years is found in the letter that the Rev. Dr. Fellows, president of the Iowa State Temperance Alliance, has just written to the Prohibitionists of Iowa. Dr. Fellows has been one of the most pronounced friends of temperance in the United States. He has been brought to see that the purpose of the third party to secure control by smashing the other parties will never be accomplished if his present policy is continued. He says this policy is driving away and alienating the friends of temperance in both the great parties instead of uniting them against the common foe—Wino Republic.

The Size of it.

The speech of Mr. Randall against the Mills bill is full of unanswerable points. Perhaps the most astounding declaration it contains is his argument that the bill, if put into practical operation as a law, would increase the treasury surplus.

Another point made by Randall is the fact that it proposes to tax the necessities of the poor man and relieve from duty the luxuries of the rich. Some of the comparisons of necessities and luxuries made by Mr. Randall will be found in the following exhibit:

Olive oil for the rich, free.
Caster oil for the poor, 97 per cent.
Tin plates for the monopolists, free.
Rice for everybody, 100 per cent.
Bone-black for sugar trust, free.
Sugar for grocers, 68 per cent.

Got Into a Row.

A serious kick has been made in St. Cloud on account of a slick little game of poker which took place in that city a week ago to-day. Of course the losers in such games feel bad over it, and the St. Cloud papers have about it, and yet servant girls can be ruined by professional Christians, sent out of the city, a few dollars paid to smooth over the affair, and these same papers are as silent as the grave about it. Why? Because the friends of the destroyer pay money to hush the matter up. If a great rumper is to be kicked up because a professional gambler is beaten at his own game, who don't the St. Cloud papers expose those who commit vastly greater crimes? We are getting at the facts in the above alluded to case, and as soon as they are all in our possession, we will lay them before our readers.—Sank Rapids Sentinel.

UNFETTERED DELIBERATES.

The Crow Wing County Republican Convention Meets and Elects Four Delegates to the State Convention.

Resolutions Adopted. Endorsing Comstock and Sleeper.

The Republican county convention met at the court house yesterday afternoon with nearly a full representation from every precinct in the county, only two towns being unrepresented, those of Daggett Brook and Fairbanks. The convention was called to order by Chairman Howe, and after reading the call and stating the object, John Frater was nominated and elected chairman of the convention, and W. L. Frater secretary, who took their oath of office immediately. On motion the chairman appointed a committee of three on credentials, which was made up of the following gentlemen: W. S. Martin, H. Poppenberg and A. M. Bratt. While the committee were out on the temporary organization was made permanent. The committee on credentials reported the following gentlemen entitled to seats in the convention:

CITY OF BRAINERD.

First Ward—J. T. Frater, Robert Caughey, John Anderson and James Burton.

Second Ward—C. L. Spaulding, W. S. Martin, Fred Parker and J. L. Caughey, the latter being represented by J. J. Howe, as proxy.

Third Ward—H. Poppenberg and Ed. Breheny.

Fourth Ward—N. Heller, Henry Mahle and John Parsons.

TOWNSHIPS.

Long Lake—D. Dykeman, by W. L. Frater, as proxy.

Crow Wing—Joel Smith, Oak Lawn—F. M. Mazzy.

Deerwood—Henry Patterson.

Mille Lacs—Joe. Miller, by H. Spaulding, as proxy.

Bay Lake—J. S. Rankin, by J. J. Howe, as proxy.

Mooreville—John L. Berg and A. M. Bratt.

A motion was then made and carried to vote for four delegates to the state convention, and the following gentlemen were put in nomination: W. S. Martin, C. L. Spaulding, J. J. Howe and John Willis. No other nominations were offered.

The chair appointed C. L. Spaulding and Henry Mahle as tellers.

The delegates voted as their names appeared upon the roll and the result of the ballot was twenty-one votes for each of the four delegates and they were declared elected.

The following resolution was then introduced and adopted:

RESOLVED, By the Republicans of Crow Wing county in convention assembled, that we do hereby condemn the action of certain would-be so-called politicians in pledging the delegates of Crow Wing county to any man or set of men, and that the delegates here-to-day selected, go to the state convention armed, except to vote and work for the best interests of the Republican party.

J. J. Howe then introduced the following resolution which was adopted, as was also the two resolutions following it:

RESOLVED, That the country is to be congratulated upon the selection of Gen. Harrison and Hon. L. P. Morton for the presidency and vice-presidency, and in the fact that these two officers are agents to be filled by men of undoubted ability and irreproachable character. That the country is also to be congratulated that the Republican party has again spoken in unison and in harmony, and that the country that it is still the party of the people and in favor of protection to American industries and the champion of American labor and American homes.

That we are in favor of such a tariff as will protect and protect our industrial interests of our country rather than the interests of European countries. That the tariff doctrine of the Democratic party as enunciated in their national platform of 1880, 1884 and 1888, and as laid down by Grover Cleveland, and as found in the Mills bill as originally presented to congress, are as pernicious and as disloyal as was their declaration made in their national platform of 1880 when they declared the war a failure.

That we believe therefore that it is the duty of every loyal American citizen, every lover of the best interests of northern thrift and enterprise and of the industries which have grown up under the beneficent and fostering care of the Republican tariff laws, to repudiate the southern free trade ideas which the Democratic party are attempting to impose upon our country.

RESOLVED, That we heartily endorse Hon. S. C. Comstock, the Republican nominee for representative of this congressional district, and pledge to him the undivided support of Crow Wing county.

RESOLVED, That we are specially pleased with the nomination of our much respected fellow townsman, Hon. C. B. Sleeper, for judge of this judicial district, and pledge to him, also, the support of this county, believing that it is our duty to recognize his ability and integrity as shown in the past, by retaining him as the judge of this district.

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1824.	John Q. Adams.	Andrew Jackson.
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1832.	Andrew Jackson.	Henry Clay.
1836.	Martin Van Buren.	Wm. L. Garrison.
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1844.	James K. Polk.	Henry Clay.
1848.	Zachary Taylor.	Levi Chase.
1852.	Franklin Pierce.	Winfield Scott.
1856.	James Buchanan.	John C. Fremont.
1860.	Abraham Lincoln.	S. A. Douglas.
1864.	Abraham Lincoln.	G. B. Cleaveland.
1868.	U. S. Grant.	Horatio Seymour.
1872.	U. S. Grant.	Horace Greeley.
1876.	R. B. Hayes.	S. J. Tilden.
1880.	James A. Garfield.	W. S. Hancock.
1884.	Grover Cleveland.	James G. Blaine.

Mr. Fifer on the Tariff.

"I predict that the Democratic party long before the close of this campaign will be chiefly exercised to convince the voters, and particularly the mechanics and wage-workers of the country, that they are not a free-trade party and are not even infected with the kindred and worse heresy of a tariff 'for revenue only,' but the issue upon this question is now made and defined far beyond the power of any Democrat to obscure and defude it. Upon this circumstance the country is to be congratulated. Time was when the Democratic party, which lies principally in the South, hated the manufacturing industries of the North, and had the honesty and courage to say so boldly. Away back in the sixties the Democratic party said in terms that it was for free trade. As late as 1876 it said in terms that tariff should be 'for revenue only.' In 1880 and 1884 it prevailed and straddled. It sat upon the political fence with one leg hanging down in Iowa and the other in Pennsylvania, but neither foot quite touching the ground. But while this is true, there has never been the least doubt as to the real convictions and desires of that party upon the tariff question. It is and always has been a free-trade party. Such are its traditions and its history. And now in the fullness of time a Moses has arisen in the Democratic Israel, and with all the stubbornness of the tender animal which despised the right of way with the locomotive, and with about the same perception of the question, proclaims with the courage of his conviction that the protective features of the tariff are unjust and illogical and should be abandoned. Let us thank the President for his courage if not for his wisdom. He has so far alighted from the fence that one foot at least now touches the ground."

Strikingly Illustrated.

The Detroit Record, a spicy Republican paper, believes in fair play on all sides, and in its last issue we find the following which is the most lucid statement of the facts in the case that we have yet seen. It is so good that we publish it for the benefit of our readers:

In the Fifteenth judicial district the Democratic papers are putting in their best work for what they please to term "a divorce of the judiciary from partisan politics." It is generally admitted that Judge Sleeper has made a just and honorable officer, but he is opposed, apparently, for the reason that he is a Republican, as pointed by a Republican governor, and in the interests of this much talked-of "divorce" he should be defeated and Geo. W. Holland, Democrat, elected. This is just such non-partisanship as the Democrats usually show. Let a Republican governor appoint a good Democrat to the office and they are unable to find sufficient terms of praise for such an exhibition of wisdom and non-partisanship; but let the appointee be a Republican and up go their hands in holy horror and a "divorce from politics" is demanded.

Mr. Baxter, a Democrat, was appointed district judge by a Republican governor, and the Republicans of the district, recognizing in him a fair and honorable judge, joined hands in endorsing the governor's action, and he received a large majority, even though his opponent was a life long Republican, and the district strongly opposed to Judge Baxter's politics. But now comes a case where the choice of the governor is a Republican, and listen to the howl of indignation which arises from the bandanna wipers. They howl the name of a dyed in the wool Democrat, and in the interest of a non-partisan judiciary that Judge Sleeper be defeated because he is a Republican.

Follows Brainerd's Example.

Wadena, on Monday, was the scene of a terrible blizz which consumed the best business block in the heart of that thriving little city. Like Brainerd, there were but two buildings left in the block after the fire had completed its work. A newspaper account of the blaze is as follows:

At 1 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the rear of a vacant building owned by Mrs. C. Potter near the center of the block. The fire department responded promptly and in a few minutes had the fire pretty well under control, but at this time the wind sprang up, and the exhausted and the department was powerless. In a few minutes the fire communicated to the buildings on the south and north, which were all frame structures and burned like tinder. Being built close together and with no water all effort to save them was useless. The whole block with two exceptions, the Merchants house and Shuehars' notion store, was soon a seething mass of flames. Several ineffectual attempts were made to tear down the buildings and save the fire, but the flames advanced so fast that it was of no avail. The only thing that saved the town was the fact that there was scarcely any wind. The loss will aggregate about \$50,000, \$15,000 on buildings and \$35,000 on stock. Insured for about half that amount. The following parties were burned out: Mrs. C. Potter, hotel; A. H. Wiswell, dwelling; Green & Weeks, hardware; Oscar Weickert, meat market; Mrs. L. Kramer, millinery; P. Palmateer, barber shop; J. H. Montgomery, machinery; Geo. L. Nevins, store building; Thorpy & Osterander, real estate office; W. C. Bannbach, bank; Meyer & Co., general merchandise; M. H. Dibble, saloon; W. R. Bannbach, store building; L. E. Stonehouse, post-office building. At this time it is impossible to procure anything like a correct estimate of the loss and insurance. The firms burned out have moved into vacant buildings, bars, etc., and are ready to resume trade. Brick buildings will replace those burned, but in that direction having already commenced.

Reform in Chunks.

A dispatch from Chicago reads as follows:

The employees of the Chicago post-office recently received postal cards asking them to call at the office of a certain law firm, as the sender wished to see them on a matter of importance. A report who called at the place indicated found it to be the office of the law firm of which Postmaster Judd is a member. Representing himself to be an employee of the post-office, he was requested to contribute \$25 of his salary to the campaign fund, but succeeded in reducing the assessment to \$15, which he agreed to pay Sept. 1st. On the inside of the book, wherein the subscription was written, was the following: "Mr. Edward B. Escher is daily authorized to collect subscriptions for the Democratic national campaign fund." Signed, Eschene W. Phelps, member of the Democratic national committee. Mr. Escher denied that Postmaster Judd had anything to do with this, but could not account for the curious fact that the collections are made in Judd's law office.

A DROP FROM THE SKY.

Two Ladies Will Drop Five Thousand Feet From a Balloon During The State Fair.

The management of the State Fair have secured at great expense the most novel and exciting features ever introduced in the State, which are no less than two balloon ascensions, one of which will be made by a lady, the aeronauts to drop from a balloon from the height of five thousand feet and descend to the earth by means of a parachute. The aeronauts engaged for these ascensions are Prof. Oscar Hunt, Prof. J. W. Price, Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. Price. The exact dates for these ascensions have not yet been fixed. Prof. Price has made 285 ascensions and he has had some thrilling experiences. Mrs. Lattie Hunt recently made an ascension at Chicago of nearly 3,000 feet and dropped with her parachute into Lake Michigan, and was rescued unharmed. The parachute used in these ascensions is unlike any used heretofore and is Prof. Price's invention. It has no framework and ribs, and is held in shape solely by ropes and a hoop six feet in diameter, which expands the balloon over a spread of about 16 feet and a length of 20 feet. It hangs from the neck of the balloon and the separation is effected by pulling a rope attached to a spool. The two ladies ascensions will be made from the State Fair grounds sometime between September 10th and 15th. One ascension and probably both will be made by one of the ladies mentioned above. The following is an account of an ascension recently made by Prof. Price in Illinois:

At half past 5 o'clock yesterday evening Prof. Price shouted "Let go," and the balloon ascended in the air like a sky rocket, with the daring young aeronaut dangling from the trapeze. A strong wind from the west prevailed and the balloon was carried eastward and upward, until it had gained an altitude over 5,000 feet. The ascent was a beautiful sight.

From the many buildings groups as spectators could be seen watching the ascent, and many a group of people were heard to exclaim "What a beautiful sight!" The general knowledge of the fact that Prof. Price has never before attempted a parachute descent created an ill-suppressed feeling of anxiety among the people. "Will he come down all right?" was the universal question, and many were the silent prayers for his success.

In a few minutes from the beginning of the ascent, the balloon attained its highest elevation, and hanging apparently motionless. It was at this moment the watching crowd for an instant held their breath as the balloon and parachute were seen to separate. For fully 150 feet the parachute fell like a dead weight, and then filling with air, its speed was suddenly arrested, and like a big bird it sailed in broad sweeps toward the earth. For a few moments the swinging of the parachute was witnessed, but soon it came to rest. The balloon came down about three miles east of Chicago.

The Boys in Blue.

With their families, relatives, and friends, en route to the National Encampment at Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 14th, should select the "Northwestern Line," Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway.

No so-called "official trains" will be run on the "Northwestern Line," but ample accommodations, first-class in every particular, will be provided on regularly running, comfortably equipped, and running with the regularity of clock work, on which you will secure well cooked and well served meals in dining cars, at reasonable hours and at a reasonable price.

Pullman and Pullman vestibule trains are run on this line between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago; and all classes of tickets are good on these famous vestibule trains without extra charge.

Tickets to Columbus and return will be on sale a few days previous to Sept. 10th, over "The Northwestern Line" and connections, at about one cent per mile for the round trip from St. Paul, and after arrival at Columbus should you desire to visit any other point in Ohio, or east to Pittsburgh, Wheeling, or any point south of the Ohio River, it is expected that reduced rates can be secured at Columbus on presentation of return portion of your excursion ticket over the "Northwestern Line" to the joint ticket agent at Columbus. An extension of time for the return trip via this line can also be obtained at Columbus if desired.

For tickets, sleeping car accommodations, and correct information, call on regular agents at 139, East Third street, St. Paul; 13, No. 100 West Block, Minneapolis; 112, West Superior street, Duluth; or address the undersigned. Tickets to Columbus and return, or to any other points via this line can be obtained at principal offices of the Northern Pacific or St. Paul, Minneapolis, and Manitoba Railways, the agents of these companies being authorized to act for the Northwestern Line.

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Ever shown in the city. Our new stock is arriving daily and we can show you bargains that will make your

EYES STAND OUT.

Call in and see us at our new store.

H. ROSENBLATT.

STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

An Institute for the County of Crow Wing, Will be Held at Brainerd, During the Week Commencing Monday, September 24th, 1888.

The State will provide efficient instructors, who will be furnished with such professional books, apparatus and material as have been thoroughly tested and found to be of special service to teachers. They will make the Common School Manual the basis of their work, and a considerable portion of the time will be devoted to bringing out the best manner of using the text books which have been recently adopted to the State Series. Great pains will be taken to make the instruction pointed and in the highest degree practical, including management of school, grading and method of teaching the common school branches.

The evenings will be occupied by lectures, literary exercises and social entertainments, as in the past, and everything possible will be done to make the week a pleasant and profitable one for all.

Teachers who take a proper interest in their calling, and who desire by self-improvement to advance to higher positions, will be present at the opening Monday afternoon and remain till Friday evening.

All schools can be legally closed during Institute week at the request of the teachers or the county superintendent.

The Institute will be in charge of the Superintendent, who will make all required arrangements for its success, as well as for the accommodation of teachers, who are requested to give him early notice of their intention to be present, that he may provide board for all at the lowest rates.

D. L. KIEHLE, Supt. Public Instruction, W. A. FLEMING, County Superintendent.

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The store building and lot on the corner of Second Avenue and Kindred street, the best business corner in East Brainerd. Terms, part cash and time on balance.

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On Third Avenue, next south of Mr. Sunley's new house. Price \$500. Apply to

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C. B. SLEEPER'S

Real Estate Circular!

Look Here!

In view of the certain rise in real estate the coming summer, now is the time to invest. For the next sixty days I will sell any of the following real estate on terms to suit purchasers:

Four business lots, corner Front and Broadway. The best bargain in Brainerd. One lot adjoining Opera house, on Broadway.

Four lots on Front street. Three lots rear of Opera house, 9th street, desirable residence property. Three cottages, rear of Opera house, cheap.

Seventy-five lots, Sleeper's Addition—lots from \$50 to \$100—50x150—cheapest lots in Brainerd.

Seventy-five lots in Sleeper's Park—adjoining 7th and 8th streets.

Sleeper Block, one or three brick stores on favorable terms.

Twelve property will double in value within six months, and if any one desires a business location, or residence lot, here is your chance.

These lots will be sold on the installment plan, so that laboring men and mechanics can secure a home on most advantageous terms than ever before in the history of Brainerd.

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Bargains in Real Estate

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This factory makes the popular and world-famous Cima Plug, the acknowledged standard for first-class chewing tobacco.

This factory was established as long ago as 1760.

This factory (1880) made and sold the enormous quantity of 27,000,000 lbs. or fourteen thousand tons of tobacco.

This was more than one-seventh of all the tobacco made in the United States at that time.

This in the last 25 years this factory has helped support the United States Government to the extent of over Five hundred million seven hundred thousand dollars (\$547,000,000) paid into the U. S. Treasury in Internal Revenue Taxes.

This factory employs about 3,500 operatives.

This factory makes such a wonderfully good chewing Cima Plug that many other factories have tried to imitate it in vain, and in despair now try to attract custom by offering larger pieces of inferior goods for the same price.

Although the return of Encke's comet, a very small and inconspicuous body, is of no personal interest to local astronomers because it will only be visible in the southern hemisphere, it will prove interesting as it again confirms Encke's discovery that it moved in a fixed orbit about the sun. One reason which causes its return to be heralded all over the world on its discovery at the faraway station at the Cape of Good Hope, is its irregular habits. This period of return seems to be accelerated on each period of return, which leads astronomers to believe that it will finally fall into and be absorbed by the sun, if it is not sooner interferred with by some other attracting body.

Shohols, New York, struck a lot of rocks that had been washed on the track, and the engine was wrecked. Engineer M. Fritz, Fireman Hagan and Conductor Fred Long were severely injured. A baggage car, mail car, one smoker, one day coach and a car load of horses crashed into the wreck before it could be warned, and were sent rolling down the eighty-foot embankment. The rest of the train stayed on the track. The cars caused

and until it came to a drug store on Fulton street owned by Jenkins & Kyle. The animal stalked into the store deliberately and went as far back as the prescription case, when he set up a most pitiable neighing. The clerk was alarmed, but spoke gently to the animal, and taking a sponge bathed the ugly wound in cold water, much to the relief of the brute. The proprietor, Mr. Kyle, then took the brack. The horse was then led back to the mines, seemingly happy and contented. Mr. Kyle is positive in the assertion that this is the nearest case of brute savagery on record, and points to the blood spots on the floor of his store as proof of the tale.

A genuine station was created in South Chicago when it became known as the Chicago Tolling Co., which had its headquarters at the company's mill all day at the mouth of the Calumet River was to be shut down for an indefinite period. There were about some 1,500 men employed at the company's office and received called at their homes between 3 and 4 p.m. Between 300 and 400 men were still employed about the works on repairs and cleaning up. The cause of the strike was the lack of orders on the books of the North Chicago company. Manager Potter said: "The suspension of work is but a temporary one. The railroads are withholding their orders on account of the strike. It is probable we have some August deliveries to make, and it is quite probable that we will resume the operation of this month."

THE EXCITEMENT

That he was bitten by a shark. The screaming was something awful. It was fully twenty minutes before the boats were lowered. We all stood on the deck looking two feet away from each other, and powerless to do anything ourselves. I saw three boats of the Geisler on turned upside down, another smashed in the storm, and the last took two men who were holding a woman between them whom seemed to be dead. Several had life-preservers on, but were swallowed up in the sea. Others came back to the surface and were hooked up. A number of us procured life-preservers and stood ready to assist them out, but they said that we must wait until the ship was sinking. A great num-

the levee track. The latter road now carries the traffic of the levee. The city has been granted the right to use the levee track, and to collect a fee of \$100,000 alleged damages for freight business lost by the two cases of yellow fever in the city.

Jacksonville (Florida) papers say: There have been thirty-two cases of yellow fever in the city since the first of June. The disease was introduced, three weeks ago. These cases have either sent to Sand Hills hospitals or isolated in the city. Fourteen of these taken have died, eight have recovered and twenty are now under treatment. During the last three or four days only four new cases have occurred. The first four cases taken place Monday morning. Confidence is held that the epidemic will be averted, and that the disease will be stamped out in a few days or weeks. The citizens are calm and content.

occur. It is difficult to separate clean tubers if the soil from which they were taken is wet. The tubers will adhere to the soil, even if much time is spent in trying to remove it. It will injure their appearance, and be likely to cause them to decay. If potatoes are not dug till freezing weather occurs, some of the tubers will be likely to be frostbitten, and if they are put in a bin with some specimens that are not, the whole lot will decay. There is no advantage in allowing potatoes to remain in the ground after the tops are dead. They have then attained their growth and have assumed the conditions of ripeness. They will keep best if stored in a cool, dark place, not subject

The Country's Need. "What this country wants," said a man who talks politics on the street car, "is men who are not afraid to meet their obligations." Then he noticed that in the crowd the conductor had overlooked him, and he dropped off the car a block away from his destination for fear the error would be discovered. —*Buffalo Express.*

Reasoning by Induction. "I've got an awful headache this morning," "Have you—lucky you! what a glorious time you must have had last night!" —*Boston Transcript.*

A Resemblance.

"Did the close resemblance between a ghost and a balloonist ever strike you?" asked the snake editor. "No," replied the horse editor. "How do they resemble each other?" "Well, a balloonist is an aeronaut." "Yes; but what is a ghost?" "It's an airy nag too."—*Pittsburg Chronic.*

Change and Rest.

"I went down to Bar Harbor for change and rest," says a Portland drummer, "but the bellboys got the change and the landlady got the rest!"—*Leveaux Journal.*

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LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Arrival and Departure of Northern Pacific Trains.

No.	Train	Time	Destination
No. 1	Arrives from the South at 8:45 p. m.	Departs going West at 8:50 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 2	Arrives from the West at 11:55 a. m.	Departs going South at 12:05 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 3	Arrives from the South at 1:30 a. m.	Departs going West at 1:40 a. m.	St. Paul
No. 4	Arrives from the West at 1:45 a. m.	Departs going South at 1:55 a. m.	St. Paul
No. 5	Arrives from the South at 3:15 p. m.	Departs going West at 3:25 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 6	Arrives from the West at 3:30 p. m.	Departs going South at 3:40 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 7	Arrives from the South at 5:15 p. m.	Departs going West at 5:25 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 8	Arrives from the West at 5:30 p. m.	Departs going South at 5:40 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 9	Arrives from the South at 7:15 p. m.	Departs going West at 7:25 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 10	Arrives from the West at 7:30 p. m.	Departs going South at 7:40 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 11	Arrives from the South at 9:15 p. m.	Departs going West at 9:25 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 12	Arrives from the West at 9:30 p. m.	Departs going South at 9:40 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 13	Arrives from the South at 11:15 p. m.	Departs going West at 11:25 p. m.	St. Paul
No. 14	Arrives from the West at 11:30 p. m.	Departs going South at 11:40 p. m.	St. Paul

Local News Notes.

Judge Sleeper has been in St. Paul during the past few days.

Frost has damaged the corn and other crops in this county to quite an extent.

Alec McNaughton will leave Monday for Livingston where he will remain the balance of the summer.

Hon. Z. D. Scott, of Duluth, who poses as the prohibition candidate for congress, visited Brainerd on Wednesday.

A sociable will be given by the ladies of the Norwegian Lutheran church Saturday evening at the Sixth street school house.

The unsightly bill boards which have obscured the view in all parts of the city since the latter part of May have at last been removed.

Geo. Bowers has taken the contract of carrying the mail from Brainerd to Mille Lacs, two trips a week, for \$288. The route will be put on September 1st.

Mrs. A. G. Michie was quite seriously injured on Wednesday by an enraged cow. She was gored in the abdomen and besides this quite seriously bruised.

Charlotte, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hughes, died this morning. The funeral will occur Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Catholic church.

Rev. John Holmes, pastor of King Street Methodist church, at London, Ontario, is visiting his brother, Dan. Holmes, of this city. Mr. Holmes will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church in this city on Sunday evening.

The Catholic fair at the rink is in progress, and the management are meeting with the usual success. The attendance has been large all through the week and it is expected that the spacious building will be filled to morrow evening, that being the closing night.

The passenger traffic on the Northern Pacific is greater at present than ever before. All trains are crowded and on Tuesday night of this week, No. 1, the evening limited train, ran in two sections, one of nine and one of ten cars, while No. 3, the night express, of the same night, was so heavily loaded as to require two engines.

The Uniform Rank, K. of P., have issued invitations for their "First Uniform Ball" to take place at the rink on Monday evening next. Dress-kell's full orchestra will be in attendance and the occasion will be one of pleasure to the participants. The following is the committee on arrangements: F. B. Johnson, A. F. Ferris, Geo. F. Leopold, F. S. Allen and E. A. Farrar. Tickets are \$1.00.

The annual meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U. for the election of officers for the ensuing year, was held at the Congregational Church on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 22, when the following officers were elected: Mrs. T. J. Sharkey, president; Miss Maggie Atherton, 1st vice president; Mrs. J. E. Ireland, 2nd vice president; Miss Annie Nunn, 3rd vice president; Miss Maud Heustiss, secretary; Miss Ella Robinson, treasurer.

Mother's Meeting.

A "mother's meeting" will be held in the M. E. church on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All mothers are earnestly requested to be present, also any others who are interested in the training of the children.

\$25 Reward.

A reward of \$25 will be paid to any person furnishing proof for the conviction of the person or persons that tear down the fence around meadow land on the bottom below the brick yard.

Andrew Robinson.

MADAGASCAR ROBINSON.

Harvest Excursions.

Harvest excursions to Livingston, Helena and Butte City, will be run by the Northern Pacific Railroad on the following dates: Sept. 11th and 25th, and Oct. 9th and 23rd. Round trip tickets good for thirty days will be sold from St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland and Duluth, at \$17.87 for Livingston, and \$20 for Helena or Butte City. Persons desiring tickets at Brainerd can obtain them by giving timely notice to J. A. Walker, ticket agent.

Remember that Wednesday morning is baby's day at Robinson's.

Life, accident, fire and live stock insurance. A. P. Riggs, Bank Block.

Obituary.

McNAUGHTON.—Died in this city Aug. 19th, 1888, William McNaughton, aged 22 years, of typhoid fever.

The deceased was a much respected young man, and during his four years residence here he had made many warm personal friends. He was a brother of Alec McNaughton, of the Livingston shops, and came to Brainerd from Lambton county, Canada, where his aged father and mother still reside. He was ill but ten days previous to his death and was under treatment at the N. P. Sanitarium.

The funeral services occurred on Tuesday afternoon at the Congregational church, the Revs. J. A. Rowell and Israel Bergstrom officiating. A large concourse of people followed the funeral procession to Evergreen cemetery where the remains were laid to rest, many of them being shop men who had worked in the same department with the young man since he came to Brainerd. Could the aged father and mother, who were unable to attend the funeral services of their beloved boy, have seen the respect and deference paid to the young man as the last sad rites were performed it might possibly lessen their grief in their bereavement.

The brothers of the deceased desire to extend their heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly lent a helping hand during the sickness and death. They will ever remember the many acts of kindness bestowed.

A Slick Game.

A man named J. S. Danford was arrested at St. Cloud and brought up yesterday on a warrant from Verndale, by Sheriff Kingsley, of Wadena county. The charge was for obtaining \$500 from M. Stuart, jr., of the bank of Verndale, upon a worthless draft. It seems that Danford had been negotiating for the purchase of an interest in a banking house of Winslow & Marshal, at Park Rapids, and had succeeded in getting the negotiations so far along as to obtain from Winslow & Marshal some sort of a statement regarding the new firm which was to be Danford & Marshal, and that the account of Winslow & Marshal in their St. Paul bank was to be turned over to the new firm. It was believed that his plan was to corral the entire deposit of Winslow & Marshal in the St. Paul bank, which was unusually large at that time, but Mr. Winslow grew suspicious and followed Danford to St. Paul and thus prevented these plans being carried out. They returned to Verndale together, and there on Wednesday last Danford, by exhibiting this statement signed by Winslow & Marshal which appeared to be perfectly regular, and Mr. Stuart knowing Danford to be in negotiation for the purchase of an interest in the Park Rapids Bank, unwittingly cashed his draft, signed Danford & Marshal for \$500 on the St. Paul bank. Danford & Marshal had no deposit there, the account not having been transferred because of Winslow's suspicions. As soon as Winslow learned of this he and Stuart started in pursuit accompanied by the sheriff with a warrant sworn out by Stuart. Danford had taken the fast train east, and was at Brainerd by the time they discovered his absence. Telegrams were sent here, but he had left the town. He sent the \$500 by registered letter from Brainerd to a party in Ohio, and took No. 6 for St. Paul, but was arrested and held at St. Cloud. When the sheriff arrived he confessed to having sent the money and how he sent it, and by the prompt and efficient action on the part of Mr. Koop in wiring the chief inspector in St. Paul and obtaining instructions, the letter was held until Danford was brought here. He was anxious to withdraw the letter and return the money to Mr. Stuart, and upon these facts being laid before the inspector his return by Postmaster Koop was authorized and the money was turned over to Mr. Stuart. Danford claims that the fund on which he drew the draft had been in fact transferred to Danford & Marshal and while technically it was a worthless draft, there was no intention on his part to defraud; but the fact that he sent the firm's money away to a stranger it was his intention to do so. Danford was taken to Verndale last night where the case will be undoubtedly dismissed, as having the Winslow & Marshal statement in his possession as to the transfer of the account it will probably be very difficult to hold him. The prompt action of Mr. Winslow may have saved his firm a heavy loss.

We glean the above facts from G. S. Fernald, who was Mr. Winslow's attorney in the matter. Mr. Fernald states that some of the parties were anxious for this matter not to be published but as it had become public to a certain extent he deemed it best that the true facts should be given so that no injustice should be done anyone.

The success in securing the money without delay was due in a large measure to Mr. Fernald's legal advice.

5 HARVEST EXCURSIONS

August 21st, September 11th and 25th, October 9th and 23rd.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis railway ("Albert Lea Route") will sell upon above named dates round trip excursion tickets to points in Minnesota, Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Texas, Mississippi, Tennessee, Indian Territory and Eastern Colorado, at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets good thirty days from date of sale. Stop-overs granted in the territory to which are sold. For information regarding rates, maps, call on any agent or write to E. A. WHITTAKER, Minneapolis, Minn., G. T. & P. A.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the county commissioners, at their next regular meeting, will reconsider a resolution passed at their last meeting authorizing the purchase of \$1,000 in stock of the Crow Wing County Agricultural Society.

J. S. GARDNER,
Chairman Co. Com.

The Mason fruit jar at D. M. Clark & Co's.

The City Council.

The council met in regular session Monday evening, with Aldermen Spencer, Camp and Keough absent. The routine business of reading and approving the minutes, etc., was transacted. Chief Leopold then presented the following communication: Mr. President and gentlemen of the Council:

Holding the position of Chief Engineer of your fire department for the past three years, I find now on the increase of your department and the erection of valuable buildings, that the position to fulfill in a trustworthy manner the duties of this position, I can gratefully spare, and if your honorable body see fit to recommend a salary of \$300 per year, which is a small recompense, I can continue the office; if not you will please accept my resignation.

A. F. LEOPOLD,
Chief Engineer.

The motion to accept the resignation of Chief Leopold was carried.

The report of the city clerk for the month showing collections to be \$519.00 was read and accepted.

The mayor's communication in regard to his refusal to sign the \$1000 order on the treasurer for the agricultural society was read and on motion was received and placed on file.

A bill for \$462.47, pay roll on sewer work for \$100 was presented and allowed.

A bill to pay special police on circus duty amounting to \$13 was allowed.

J. D. Barstow for killing 32 dogs was allowed \$32.

Ordinances No. 72 and 73 had their first and second reading and were adopted.

At this juncture S. H. Relf arose and read the following communication to the council:

GENTLEMEN.—My attention has been called to an article in two of the city papers entitled "The mayor's veto," and in justice to the Crow Wing county agricultural society, of which I am secretary, I will state that, for unalloyed assuinity, cheer and ignorance, that article is unexcelled. When "His Honor" was first approached in regard to the city's purchase of stock in the above named society by at least two business men of this city, he said that he thought it was the best thing the city could possibly do, and that he would not only advocate the measure, but would vote for it in case of a vote in the council. However, his vote was not necessary. The council voted by resolution properly carried to buy one thousand dollars worth of stock in the Crow Wing County Agricultural Society." The city attorney and city clerk, after making an examination of the records, found that the society had complied with the law in every particular; that they were a regular incorporated body, and had complied to be recorded a copy of their articles of incorporation, both with the Register of Deeds of this county, and the secretary of State, as provided by law. The city clerk then issued an order on the city treasurer for the amount voted by the council, and delivered the same to me, I being duly authorized by the society to collect and receive all moneys from whatever source due the society.

I tendered this order to the mayor for his signature. He refused to sign it, and gave as his reason for not doing so, "that he wanted to fix it in another way." I then tendered it to the city treasurer, thinking that as he had cashed all my orders from the city clerk all spring and summer without requiring the mayor's signature, that he would probably do the same with this one, but he refused to cash it, giving as his reason as he has the mayor had signed it." Mark the mayor had signed it." Mark the consistency of this stripping official. While on that subject mark also the consistency of "His Honor."

In his published "veto," he says: "In our efforts to economize, we have been consistent, and give the taxpayer value for his share of interest in our commonwealth." Oh! "consistency what a jewel." Why didn't he think of the "tax-payers' share" when he gave two hundred dollars of the city's "tax-payers' share" and took circus tickets therefor. Consistency indeed. Look at his consistency in the electric light business. In the council he voted to abolish the franchise, and in the Board of Trade he voted to appropriate money to fight the city in the event of a suit between the city and the Electric Light Co. In his "veto" "His Honor" says his consistency was as follows: "Yet you charges that we have not been consistent, and give the taxpayer value for his share of interest in our commonwealth." Oh! "consistency what a jewel." Why didn't he think of the "tax-payers' share" when he gave two hundred dollars of the city's "tax-payers' share" and took circus tickets therefor. 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